

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
MISSOURI UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
FOR METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND SINGLE-COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREAS (LMAs)
CURRENT MONTH (FEBRUARY 2023), PREVIOUS TWO MONTHS (JANUARY 2023 AND DECEMBER 2022) AND YEAR AGO (FEBRUARY 2022)

	FEB 2023	JAN 2023	DEC 2022	FEB 2022	FEB 2023	JAN 2023	DEC 2022	FEB 2022	
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U.S. (not seasonally adjusted)	3.9	3.9	3.3	4.1	ROLLA (Phelps Co.)	2.5	3.0	2.3	2.6
MISSOURI (not seasonally adjusted)	2.7	2.8	2.2	3.1	SEDALIA (Pettis Co.)	2.7	2.7	2.1	2.9
METROPOLITAN AREAS									
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	2.3	2.7	2.1	2.6	SIKESTON (Scott Co.)	2.3	2.5	2.1	2.6
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (MO PT)	2.2	2.5	2.0	2.5	WARRENSBURG (Johnson Co.)	2.8	2.9	2.3	3.0
Bollinger	2.5	2.9	2.4	3.1	WEST PLAINS (Howell Co.)	2.9	3.3	2.8	3.2
Cape Girardeau	2.1	2.5	2.0	2.4	FT. MADISON (MO PT - Clark Co.)	3.9	4.0	3.4	3.5
COLUMBIA MSA (Boone Co.)	2.0	2.3	1.7	2.1	QUINCY (MO PT - Lewis Co.)	2.6	3.0	2.1	2.7
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	2.2	2.4	1.8	2.4	SINGLE COUNTY LMAs				
Callaway	2.5	2.6	2.0	2.6	Atchison	2.0	2.5	2.0	2.7
Cole	2.0	2.2	1.7	2.1	Barry	3.0	3.2	2.5	3.4
Moniteau	2.1	2.4	1.8	3.2	Barton	2.3	2.6	2.0	2.6
Osage	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.0	Benton	4.2	4.5	3.6	4.8
JOPLIN MSA	2.3	2.6	2.1	2.5	Camden	4.5	4.4	3.5	4.7
Jasper	2.3	2.5	2.1	2.5	Carroll	2.7	2.8	2.3	3.8
Newton	2.3	2.6	2.1	2.6	Carter	4.3	4.1	3.7	5.0
KANSAS CITY MSA	2.9	2.7	2.3	3.3	Cedar	3.0	3.2	2.7	2.7
KANSAS CITY MSA (MO PT)	2.7	2.7	2.3	3.9	Chariton	2.1	2.1	1.5	2.7
Bates	3.3	3.1	2.5	3.6	Cooper	2.5	2.8	2.1	2.8
Caldwell	2.7	2.8	2.3	4.8	Crawford	3.0	3.2	2.5	3.6
Cass	2.6	2.7	2.1	3.0	Dade	2.5	2.7	2.1	2.6
Clay	2.2	2.3	2.0	4.2	Daviess	2.4	2.7	1.9	3.4
Clinton	3.0	2.8	2.1	5.0	Dent	2.9	3.3	2.8	3.4
Jackson	2.9	2.9	2.5	3.9	Douglas	2.5	2.9	2.5	3.0
Lafayette	2.8	2.7	2.2	3.8	Gasconade	2.2	2.5	2.2	2.7
Platte	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.9	Gentry	2.2	2.5	1.7	2.3
Ray	2.8	2.8	2.2	7.1	Grundy	2.9	2.9	2.3	3.0
ST. JOSEPH MSA	2.6	2.6	2.0	2.8	Harrison	2.9	3.1	2.3	3.4
ST. JOSEPH MSA (MO PT)	2.5	2.6	2.0	2.8	Henry	2.6	2.8	2.4	3.0
Andrew	2.4	2.4	1.8	2.5	Hickory	3.6	3.8	3.0	3.5
Buchanan	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.8	Holt	2.0	2.1	1.4	2.2
DeKalb	2.7	2.5	1.9	3.4	Howard	2.4	3.1	2.1	2.6
ST. LOUIS MSA	2.8	3.0	2.4	3.2	Iron	4.5	4.6	3.8	4.6
ST. LOUIS MSA (MO PT)	2.5	2.8	2.2	2.9	Knox	2.9	3.2	3.1	2.9
Franklin	2.6	2.7	2.1	2.9	Lawrence	2.6	2.8	2.2	2.8
Jefferson	2.5	2.6	2.1	2.9	Linn	3.5	3.5	2.7	3.9
Lincoln	2.7	4.0	2.2	3.3	Livingston	1.8	2.0	1.6	2.6
St. Charles	2.1	2.6	1.8	2.4	Macon	3.3	3.3	2.6	3.0
St. Louis Co.	2.4	2.7	2.1	2.8	Madison	2.8	3.1	2.7	3.2
Warren	2.6	3.5	2.1	3.0	Maries	2.6	2.7	2.2	2.9
St. Louis City	3.1	3.3	2.8	3.7	Mercer	2.5	2.8	2.1	3.2
SPRINGFIELD MSA	2.1	2.4	1.9	2.3	Miller	3.4	3.5	2.6	3.6
Christian	2.2	2.4	1.8	2.4	Mississippi	3.4	3.4	2.8	3.5
Dallas	2.6	3.1	2.5	3.1	Monroe	3.0	3.2	2.3	3.6
Greene	2.1	2.3	1.9	2.2	Montgomery	2.7	3.5	2.3	3.0
Polk	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.5	Morgan	3.8	4.0	2.9	3.9
Webster	2.1	2.4	1.8	2.4	New Madrid	3.0	3.2	2.6	3.3
FAYETTEVILLE MSA (MO PT - McDonald Co.)	2.2	2.6	2.1	2.7	Oregon	2.9	3.3	2.8	3.6
MICROPOLITAN AREAS									
BRANSON	9.8	8.4	3.1	9.0	Ozark	4.5	4.7	4.2	5.5
Stone	8.2	7.2	3.3	7.8	Pemiscot	3.9	4.1	3.6	4.5
Taney	10.6	9.0	2.9	9.6	Perry	2.2	2.2	1.7	2.5
FARMINGTON (St. Francois Co.)	3.7	3.7	3.1	3.5	Pike	2.7	2.9	2.1	3.1
FT. LEONARD WOOD (Pulaski Co.)	2.8	3.2	2.7	3.2	Putnam	2.9	3.0	2.1	2.6
HANNIBAL	2.9	2.8	2.2	2.8	Reynolds	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.1
Marion	2.9	2.8	2.2	2.7	Ripley	3.5	3.3	3.0	3.8
Ralls	2.7	2.7	2.2	3.0	St. Clair	3.0	3.1	2.6	3.9
KENNEDT (Dunklin Co.)	4.7	4.5	3.9	5.0	Ste. Genevieve	2.5	2.7	2.0	2.6
KIRKSVILLE	3.2	3.6	2.6	3.3	Scotland	2.0	2.1	1.7	2.3
Adair	3.0	3.6	2.5	3.1	Shannon	4.9	4.9	4.0	4.4
Schuylar	4.1	3.7	3.2	4.2	Shelby	3.2	3.2	2.2	3.4
LEBANON (Laclede Co.)	2.7	3.0	2.5	3.0	Stoddard	3.2	3.5	2.8	3.3
MARSHALL (Saline Co.)	2.5	2.8	2.3	2.7	Sullivan	3.1	3.0	2.4	4.0
MARYVILLE (Nodaway Co.)	2.1	2.5	1.8	2.2	Texas	3.2	3.4	2.7	3.6
MEXICO (Audrain Co.)	2.8	3.1	2.6	3.0	Vernon	2.8	2.9	2.4	2.6
MOBERLY (Randolph Co.)	2.6	2.8	2.2	3.1	Washington	4.0	4.1	3.2	4.1
POPLAR BLUFF (Butler Co.)	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.3	Wayne	4.2	4.2	3.8	4.2
					Worth	2.3	2.3	1.9	2.0
					Wright	2.8	3.1	2.4	3.0